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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :  
Evert E. DeBoer et al.

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For: Dynamic Protection Bandwidth Allocation in BLSR Networks

Confirmation No.: 1846

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Mail Stop Amendment  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.111**

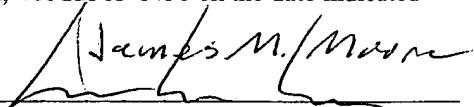
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In response to the Office Action mailed November 3, 2004, the non-extended period for response being February 3, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

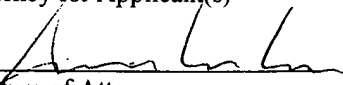
**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.

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